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Title: METHODS OF USING NEURAL THREAD PROTEINS TO  
TREAT TUMORS AND OTHER CONDITIONS REQUIRING  
THE REMOVAL OR DESTRUCTION OF CELLS

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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated February 22, 2007, concerning the above-referenced patent application. Applicant has enclosed with this amendment a Petition for Extension of Time to make this response timely.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows.

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